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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

MAGISTRATE JUDGE SUSAN E. CONORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

PEDRO SANCHEZ-GONZALEZ

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I, the undersigned complainant, being duly sworn on oath, state that the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. On or about March 23, 2006 in Cook County, Illinois, in the Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, PEDRO SANCHEZ-GONZALEZ, defendant herein,

being an alien, who previously had been deported and removed from the United States on or about January 23, 2004, was found in the United States without previously having obtained the express consent of the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security, for reapplication by defendant for admission into the United States;

in violation of Title 8, United States Code, Sections 1326(a) and (b)(2); and Title 6, United States Code, Section 202(4). I further state that I am a Special Agent with the Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement ("ICE") and that this complaint is based on the facts contained in the Affidavit which is attached hereto and incorporated herein.

Signature of Complainant

**BRANDON BEWICK** 

Special Agent, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence,

July 30. Date

at Chicago Illinois

City and State

SUSAN E. COX, U.S. Magistrate Judge

Name & Title of Judicial Officer

Signature of Judicial Officer

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COUNTY OF COOK	)

## AFFIDAVIT

- I, Brandon Bewick, the undersigned affiant, first being duly sworn upon oath, hereby depose and state the following:
- 1. I am a Deportation Officer with the United States Department of Homeland Security, Border and Transportation Security Directorate, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE). I have been employed by this agency, or the legacy Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), for more than five (5) years. I am currently assigned to the Chicago, Illinois ICE Office.
- 2. In my employment, I am assigned to investigate alleged violations of the Immigration and Nationality Act, including activities which constitute the illegal re-entry of aliens into the United States after such aliens have previously been deported from the United States.
- 3. This affidavit is made in support of the issuance of a Criminal Complaint and Warrant of Arrest against **Pedro Sanchez-Gonzalez**.
- 4. On or about March 23, 2005, an Immigration Enforcement Agent (IEA) of the Chicago, Illinois ICE Office interviewed Sanchez-Gonzalez. As part of that process, ICE discovered that Sanchez-Gonzalez is a previously deported aggravated felon from Mexico. An administrative detainer was placed on Sanchez-Gonzalez with the Illinois Department of Corrections. On July 14, 2008, Sanchez-Gonzalez was received into ICE custody pursuant to the detainer.

- 5. On July 14, 2008 IEA Stephen Zlotnicki was assigned to administratively process Sanchez-Gonzalez. IEA Zlotnicki interviewed Sanchez-Gonzalezs at the Chicago Field Office on July 14, 2008. Prior to questioning, Sanchez-Gonzalez was provided a Miranda warning, which advised him of his constitutional rights. Sanchez-Gonzalez agreed to answer questions without an attorney present.
- 6. I received and reviewed Sanchez-Gonzalez's alien registration file, also known as the "A File." The file shows that Sanchez-Gonzalez is a native and citizen of Mexico. He was deported from the United States to Mexico on January 23, 2004. The file shows that Sanchez-Gonzalez was found in Cook County, Illinois, in the Northern District of Illinois, on March 23, 2006. The file contains no record of Sanchez-Gonzalez requesting permission to apply for readmission to the United States from the Secretary of Homeland Security or the United States Attorney General, after his deportation.
- 7. As part of my investigation, I also requested a fingerprint analysis comparing Sanchez-Gonzalez's known fingerprints against those obtained from Sanchez-Gonzalez since he was taken into ICE custody on July 14, 2008. The fingerprint analysis returned positive, establishing the identity of Sanchez-Gonzalez.
- 8. The A File shows that Sanchez-Gonzalez was convicted of Theft/Deception >\$300 <\$10K on November 4, 2003, in Cook County Circuit Court, and was sentenced to 2 years imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections. This conviction qualifies as an aggravated felony as set forth in Title 8, United States Code, Sections 1326(b)(2) and 1101(a)(43)(G). This conviction occurred before Sanchez-Gonzalez was deported on January 23, 2004.

9. Sanchez-Gonzalez unlawfully re-entered the United States and was found within the United States after being deported subsequent to a conviction of an aggravated felony. These alleged acts are in violation of Title 8, United States Code, Section 1326(a) and (b)(2) and Title 6, United States Code, Section 202(4). These alleged violations occurred in Cook County, within the Northern District of Illinois.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Brandon Bewick, Deportation Officer

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Subscribed and sworn before me this 31st day of July, 2008.

HÓNORABLE SUSAN E. COX

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE